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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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8 DOUGLAS RICHEY, on behalf of himself )  
9 and all others similarly situated, )  
10 Plaintiff(s), )  
11 vs. )  
12 AXON ENTERPRISE, INC., formerly )  
13 d/b/a TASER INTERNATIONAL, INC., )  
14 Defendant(s). )

) Case # 3:19-cv-00192-MMD-CBC

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR  
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE IN  
THIS CASE ONLY BY  
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED  
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT  
AND DESIGNATION OF  
LOCAL COUNSEL**

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Barbara A. Smith \_\_\_\_\_, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:  
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Bryan Cave Leighton Paisner LLP  
(firm name)

with offices at \_\_\_\_\_ 211 North Broadway, Suite 3600 \_\_\_\_\_,  
(street address)

St. Louis \_\_\_\_\_, Missouri \_\_\_\_\_, 63102 \_\_\_\_\_,  
(city) (state) (zip code)

314-259-2367 \_\_\_\_\_, barbara.smith@bclplaw.com \_\_\_\_\_.  
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by  
Axon Enterprise, Inc. f/k/a Taser International to provide legal representation in connection with  
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since September 18, 2013, Petitioner has been and presently is a  
(date) member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of Missouri  
(state) where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or  
from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular  
possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying  
the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
Supreme Court of Missouri	September 18, 2013	66237
District of Columbia	September 12, 2014	1022506

Please see attached for additional Courts

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

(State "none" if Petitioner has no disciplinary proceedings, etc.) None

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

(State "none" if Petitioner has never been denied admission.) None

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

(State "none" if Petitioner is not a member of other Bar Associations.) None

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2

(formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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None

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court  
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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4 Petitioner's signature

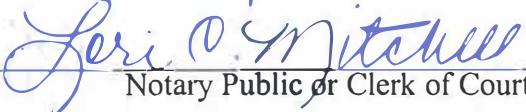
5 STATE OF Missouri )  
6 COUNTY OF St. Louis )

7 Barbara A. Smith, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

8 That the foregoing statements are true.

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10 Petitioner's signature

11 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

12 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2019.  
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14 Notary Public or Clerk of Court



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16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO  
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

17 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner  
18 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Kristen L. Martini ,  
19 (name of local counsel)  
20 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the  
21 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of  
22 said designated Nevada counsel is:

23 \_\_\_\_\_, One East Liberty Street, Suite 300  
24 (street address)

25 \_\_\_\_\_, Reno, Nevada, 89501 ,  
26 (city) (state) (zip code)

27 \_\_\_\_\_, 775-321-3446 , kmartini@lrcc.com .  
28 (area code + telephone number) (Email address)

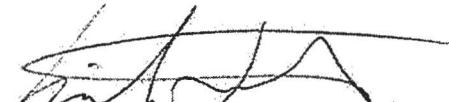
1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes  
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations  
3 binding on all of us.

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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Kristen L. Martini as  
8 (name of local counsel)  
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

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10 \_\_\_\_\_  
(party's signature)

11 Isaiah Fields, General Counsel for Axon Enterprise, Inc.  
12 (type or print party name, title)

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(party's signature)

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(type or print party name, title)

15 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

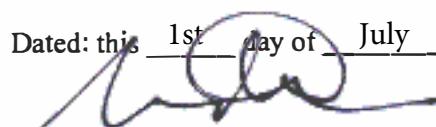
16 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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18 \_\_\_\_\_  
19 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

20 11272 kmartini@lrcc.com  
21 Bar number Email address

22 APPROVED:

23 Dated: this 1st day of July, 2019.

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26 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**Attachment – Additional Courts that Petitioner was admitted to practice before.**

<b>Court</b>	<b>Date Admitted</b>
U.S. Court of Appeals, D.C. Circuit	November 15, 2013
U.S. Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit	July 22, 2014
U.S.D.C., District of Columbia	November 3, 2014
U.S.D.C., N.D. Florida	May 1, 2015
U.S. Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit	May 6, 2015
U.S.D.C., E.D. Missouri	February 10, 2017
U.S.D.C., W.D. Missouri	February 10, 2017
U.S. Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit	March 14, 2017
U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit	June 16, 2017
U.S.D.C., N.D. Illinois	February 22, 2018
U.S. Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit	May 10, 2018
U.S.D.C., N.D. California	August 7, 2018
U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit	August 9, 2018
U.S. Court of Appeals, 6th Circuit	September 18, 2018
U.S.D.C., E.D. Wisconsin	December 26, 2018
Supreme Court of the United States	February 19, 2019



On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,  
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that

*Barbara A. Smith*

was duly qualified and admitted on **September 12, 2014** as an attorney and counselor  
entitled to practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, an **Active**  
member in good standing of this Bar.

In Testimony Whereof,  
I have hereunto subscribed my  
name and affixed the seal of this  
Court at the City of Washington,  
D.C., on May 31, 2019.

*Julio A. Castillo*  
JULIO A. CASTILLO  
Clerk of the Court

Issued By:

*ABM*  
District of Columbia Bar Membership

For questions or concerns, please contact the D.C. Bar Membership Office at 202-626-3475 or email  
[memberservices@dcbar.org](mailto:memberservices@dcbar.org).

*The Supreme Court of Missouri*



*Certificate of Admission as an  
Attorney at Law*

I, Betsy AuBuchon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records of this office show that on 9/18/2013,

*Barbara Anne Smith*

was duly admitted and licensed to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in the Supreme Court of Missouri and all courts of record in this state, and is, on the date indicated below, a member in good standing of this Bar.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the Supreme Court of Missouri at my office in Jefferson City, Missouri, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Betsy AuBuchon".

Clerk of the Supreme Court of Missouri